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The Chilean government has placed \$185,000 at the disposal of the President, to be expended in securing immigrants for that republic.

Located.

Knicker—Where is his residence?
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"Do you think people should be punished for gambling at the races?" "A lot of them are by having their money taken away from them."—Washington Star.

She—He tells me all his secrets. He—Well, you don't object to that, do you? She—Oh, I don't know. I think I'd rather find them out!—London Opinion.

The Maid—Do you believe it's unlucky to get married on a Friday? The Abominable Bachelor—Certainly. Why should Friday be an exception?—Black and White.

Molly—When you spoke to father, did you tell him you had \$500 in the bank? George—Yes, Molly—And what did he say? George—He borrowed it.—Sketchy Bits.

The Judge—Was your chauffeur guilty in this accident? The Prisoner—No, your honor, the victim was run over in entire compliance with the ordinance.—Green Bag.

"I can not live but a week longer without you!" "Really, duke? Now how can you fix on a specific length of time?" "Ze landlord fix on it, miss: not I."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Pardon me," the photographer said, "but I think your smile is unnecessarily broad. It will show all your teeth." "Those teeth cost me \$60," growled the sitter. "I want 'em to show."—Chicago Tribune.

"You Americans don't appreciate art," said the man from abroad. "We don't," he rejoined the earnest patriot. "Why, we pay some opera singers more than we do baseball players!"—Washington Star.

Mrs. Baker—My husband costs me a good deal of money. Mrs. Barker—Yes, and he isn't very good to you, either. Mrs. Baker—I know it, but I got a dandy lot of wedding presents with him.—New York Times.

"Well," said Kwoter, "you know, 'faint heart ne'er won fair lady.'" "Nonsense!" replied Miss Bright; "if the lady's heart isn't fair and she's willing to help him a little he can win every time."—Philadelphia Press.

Biggs—Do you believe that the use of tobacco impairs the memory? Diggs—Not necessarily. I haven't been able to forget that cigar you gave me two weeks ago—but perhaps there was no tobacco in it.—Chicago Daily News.

Phyllis—What an awkward waltzer Charley Litewate is. Wonder he wouldn't take a few lessons. Maud—Why, he has. He told me that he took a regular correspondence-school course in dancing last winter.—Sunday Magazine.

Jingle (to short, stout party)—Just had such a good time with that lady over there. Awfully dirty, don't you know. But now she won't even look at me. Short Party (just arrived)—How funny! She's my wife.—The Tatler.

Tommy—Pop, what is the difference between a dialogue and a monologue? Tommy's Pop—When two women talk, my son, it's a dialogue, when a woman carries on a conversation with her husband, it's a monologue.—Philadelphia Record.

"I haven't heard of you going out to Subbub's to dinner lately." "No," he says I can't do that any more." "Why, I thought you were his closest friend. What's the matter?" "He tells me their cook doesn't like me."—Philadelphia Press.

"Nellie," called down the strict parent, giving his daughter's nightly call the usual warning to get out, as the clock struck 11. "I'm coming down there now." "You needn't mind, father," was the unexpected reply. "Mr. Wells has wound up the clock and put out the cat."—Lippincott's Magazine.

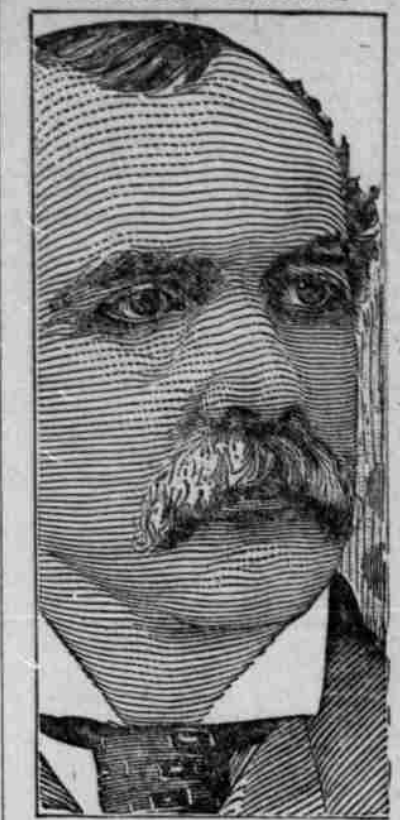
"Who," she asked, "is that scrawny, bow-legged, ridiculous looking person talking to Miss Rockingham?" "That is Count Briscapleintzel!" "Oh! What an aristocratic, noble bearing he seems to have, now that he has shifted his position so that the light strikes him properly."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Well, sir," said the old gentleman indignantly, "what are you doing round here again? I thought that delicate hint I gave you with my boot just as you left the front door last night would give you to understand that I don't like you—won't have you—coming here." "It did," said the young man who was "after" the daughter, as a look of mingled pain and admiration came over his face; "but I thought I would come and ask you—" "Ask me what?" "If you wouldn't like to join our football club."—Stray Stories.

The Judge—Is yo' name Immanuel Baxter? Immanuel—Yassah. The Judge—Well, you are charged by Officer Tucker with stealing a side of bacon at Walter's store last night. Immanuel—Ah wants ter file a alibi. The Judge—What for? Immanuel—Ah don't know, seh; Mistah Reginald James—he's a cold lawyer—he done tol' me ter say dat. The Judge—Oh, I see. But why didn't you steal a ham? They're better than sides. Immanuel—They wasn't no hams down dah. The Judge—Thirty days.—Cleveland Leader.

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Penalties of Greatness.

Hercules had subdued the Erymanthian boar.

"What are you going to do with the beast?" they asked him.

"I refuse to answer," he said, "on the ground that it might incriminate me."

For well he knew that any answer he could make would be different from the accounts written by the historians, and at that portion of his career he was sensitive about being accused of nature faking.

A Rich Man's Reticence.

"Do you want to make any contributions to our campaign fund?" asked the willing worker.

"Yes," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "I'd like to. But I don't see why I should put myself on record in a way that will make it your patriotic duty to snub me after the campaign is over."—Washington Star.

Discreet.

The influential politician was irritated. "You ask me to have a friend appointed to a good position," he said, "but I know next to nothing about you. For all I know to the contrary you don't amount to a snap."

"Maybe not," responded the caller thrusting his jaw forward, "but my job does. I'm a bridgetender."—Chicago Tribune.

Secretly Worth Mentioning.

"I expect to take a few books with me," said the aeronaut, "as the trip is likely to be a long one."

"They'll be useful for ballast, too, I presume," observed the reporter.

"Not in the least," rejoined the aeronaut. "I shall take nothing but light fiction."

Amendatory.

Borus—Yes, I always rewrite my poems before I send them to a publisher.

Nagrus—You mean, I presume, before you send them to the next publisher.

French dairymen have discovered that the use of wine dregs as a food for cows improves the quality of the milk and increases the output at least 20 per cent.

The oldest church building now standing in New York City is St. Paul's chapel, the corner stone of which was laid in 1704.

An English judge expressed his horror the other day when a witness said he had "garaged" his auto car. It was a new verb to his honor, and he didn't like it.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Company has bought in San Francisco a lot on which it will erect at once a \$250,000 railroad hospital.

The charitable people of London have formed a union to see that the money given by them is properly spent.

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ALFALFA FOR OREGON.

Is Proving Good Forage Crop for the Milk Cow.

By James Dryden, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis.

There is a great deal of milk in the ground that was not spilled and cried over, but it is there nevertheless. At certain seasons of the year the Thousand-Headed kale pulls the milk out of mother earth and the cow pulls it out of the kale and puts it in the bucket. There is a period, however, during the summer when the cows go hungry and the milk languishes in the ground because there is no green thing to pull it out and coax the cow to fill the milk bucket.

Western Oregon is one of the best dairy sections of the union. With mild open winters in which kale flourishes and furnishes green succulent food, the dairy business thrives all the year around with the exception of a short period during the summer. During this period the land is out of commission, the cows barely subsist on the pasture fields and there is no profit to the farmer. Forty-cent butter and a scarcity of good fresh milk is the evidence of a lack of green food.

What is needed in the valley is a forage crop that will utilize the soil and furnish green food and pasture during the dry season. Will alfalfa fill the bill? If alfalfa could be raised extensively and successfully it would change the face of nature and add immensely to the value of the farms in the Willamette valley. It would increase the dairy products and the poultry products; it would cheapen the production of pork and beef and mutton.

Alfalfa has been grown for two thousands years in the Mediterranean region. It has been grown successfully in arid parts of America for half a century. A gentleman traveling over what was then regarded as a land unfit for settlement in Western Nebraska by reason of its aridity discovered a thrifty green alfalfa plant growing where no other green thing could be found for miles around. That was a demonstration that satisfied the gentleman and he purchased a large tract of land for a trifle. On the same land he has since fed fifty thousand sheep in one season on alfalfa. Alfalfa goes down into the depths of the soil for moisture and through wireless communication with the atmosphere brings down from above food which feeds the plant and enriches the soil.

Since 1891 the acreage of alfalfa in Kansas has increased from 34,388 to 615,000 in 1906. A recent bulletin from that state says of alfalfa: "The steer feeders and mutton feeders of Kansas, Colorado and Nebraska would be lost without it."

At the Kansas station it is stated: "A gain of 800 pounds of pork was made from a ton of alfalfa, and a little less than that amount of gain was made from an acre of alfalfa pasture." Again, "We found that 100 pounds of alfalfa hay saved 96 pounds of corn." Figuring on the basis of these experiments it is stated that "with green alfalfa producing ten tons per acre (20,000 pounds) it would produce 2,000 pounds of pork, which, at 4 cents per pound would be worth \$80 per acre."

Director Burkett, of the Kansas station, says: "By promoting the successful production of alfalfa the station has not only extended the dominion of an imperial forage crop, but in so doing has discharged its own entire expense, and in addition has added millions of dollars to the wealth of the state."

At the Ontario agricultural college in ten years 30 cuttings, yielding over 5 tons an acre, were made. An experiment showed this great soil enriching qualities. Wheat grown after alfalfa yielded 61.5 bushels per acre and after timothy sod 42.1 bushels. In the two succeeding years the alfalfa sod produced 30.2 bushels of barley and 24 bushels of corn, while the timothy sod produced 19.7 bushels barley and 17.9 bushels corn. The three crops on the alfalfa sod were worth about \$90 while those on the timothy sod were worth about \$59.

At the Oregon Agricultural college alfalfa has been growing successfully for several years, and tests are being made by the agronomists with different varieties to determine which will suit the conditions best in this state. The station men are glad at all times to answer questions in regard to its cultivation.

A few miles from Corvallis Mr. W. H. Hamlin cut this year 200 tons of alfalfa hay. It yielded about 2 1/2 tons to the acre in two cuttings. Before seeding to alfalfa the land had been "cropped out." In fourteen years fourteen grain crops had been taken from the land, and Mr. Hamlin explains that the oldest stand yields the best, showing that it takes several years on certain classes of soil for the alfalfa to make a good growth.

It looks as though an alfalfa campaign would be worth millions to this state.

Q. What is meant by "50 per cent," "40 per cent," and so on, dynamite? A. The percentage given refers to the amount of nitroglycerin in the powder. For instance, a 40-per-cent dynamite is supposed to contain 40 per cent of nitroglycerin and 60 per cent of "dope."—F. S. Thomson, Washington State College, Pullman.

A Proposal.

"Yes," he said, "I'm in love."

"Huh!" she replied scornfully. "I wouldn't care to be you."

"And I wouldn't like you to be. I'd rather you were mine."—Philadelphia Press.

Mrs. Hoyle—I've found out where my husband spends his evenings. Mrs. Doyle—Where? Mrs. Hoyle—At home. You see, I had to stay in myself last night.—Harper's Weekly.

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Integument.

Sig. Pabucks (aspiring Thespian)—When it comes to high tragedy, even if I do say it, I've got Bob Mantell skinned to death.

Charming Soubrette—Well, you oughtn't to try to wear his skin. It doesn't fit you. Your ears stick out.—Chicago Tribune.

Out of His Reach.

"At last!" exulted the ex-bicyclist as he soared aloft in his aeroplane. "I've found a public highway now where there is no sprinkling cart demon to come along and turn it into a sea of mud!"

Beginning of Trouble.

Mr. Phusser—Cynthia, I have joined a Don't Worry club.

Mrs. Phusser—I am sorry for the club. It will have to change its name.

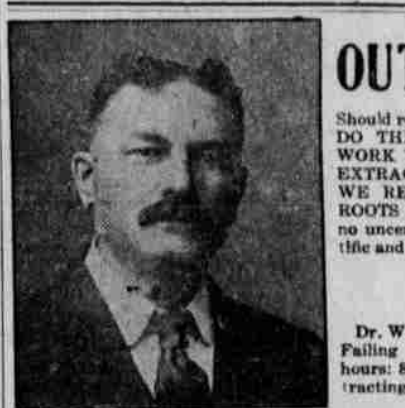
Night School Horror.

Teacher—What was the most momentous event of the last century?

Shaggy Haired Pupil—Last Century?

The killer of that interview with the Kaiser, I guess.

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